OF THE MOMENT.

which will insure your

Roberts, of Poughkeepsie, brought up his daughters. When they were still children he

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One of the best articles in vesterday's Sunday World Magazine was the detailed, illustrated account of how a rich man, Dr.

two strong and capable daughters. Their faces, as interestingly re-

man or woman to be independent but also makes him or her a

10,000 able-bodied American citizens to go out to the tropics and

kill any one and no yearning to be killed yourself. You hesitate a

moment and then say that you can't imagine how any man can con sent to enter such a life-any man with the health and strength and character to fit him for a proper soldier of the Republic.

Why not!

fight the fevers and the Filipinos. Are you going to enlist?

You say you have something better to do.

of promotion. You say you have no desire to \{

on the police force or into the Fire Depart-

You say you have a "good job," with prospect

ON SEVERAL MATTERS

periority in intelligence and self-reliance.

FATHER OF DAUGHTERS.

they could earn a living.

WHO'S GOING TO EXLIST AS

PRIVATE IN

THE PHILIP-

PINE ARMY!

LUCTANCE TO

ANSWER THE

TRUMPETS OF

DESTINY

and points, not beckons?

breeder of discontent in others.

smashing things" as "making things!"

rouble about getting the right sort of men, would there?

usefulness, with progress?

head as Mr. McKinley unfurls the standard of "Duty and Destiny"

If enlistments are as slack as they promise to be, why not try

his plan: Let Mr. McKinley himself resign and enlist as a com-

mon soldier and ask for duty in the swamps of Luzon. Let every

member of Congress who is burdened with "a sense of the nation's

responsibility" to slaughter and burn in the Philippines until the

last spark of aspiration for freedom is extinguished, resign and en-

list as a private soldier and ask for duty in the jaws of pestilent

the cynics who jeer at the eagerness of our McKinleys to lay the

is manufactured from belligerent state men, instead of from peace

the interview with him in yesterday's Sunday World will confident

probably this very week.

popular man in New York City. We have had too many District

Attorneys who were content with popularity among criminals. We

his mouth shut. He doesn't shout; he doesn't growl; he doesn't

Attorney's office returns with the gloomy report that not a single

This man Philbin has a painfully ominous way of keeping

And every spy sent from the criminal camp to the District-

The raseals have long had things their own way, thanks to the

control of the District-Attorney's office by one

want, we need one who aspires for unpopularity with them.

even shake his head angrily. He just works.

string is hanging out inviting a friendly "pull."

lives of others upon the altar of "Duty and Destiny!"

loving, useful men of the people.

What enthusiasm this would arouse! How it would silence

That will be a great day for civilization when "cannon food"

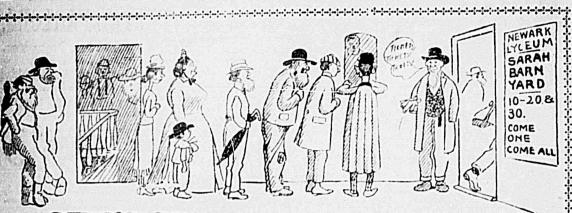
Those who read the sketch of District-Attorney Philbin and

ly expect "something to drop" in our exclu-

sive, high-class criminal circles before long-

Philbin has the chance to become the most

By T. E. POWERS.





For the Show he could see for 30 cents In that art-centre, Peanut Fork,

He pays his 'steen dollars, and ne'er makes a holler, In jay "litle old New York." 

### NEW YORK THEATRE-GOERS TOO EASY, SAYS OLIVE HOFF.

best all-round critics of men and things too kindly.

In this country. There is no such cosBoston is always supposed to offer a in this country. There is no such cositan audience as San Francisco can supply, and when I say that it means to be the most cosmopolitan of any audience in the United States.

Well, perhaps it is; but it is also too

from every standpoint, is the drama, and he never indulges in audinost intelligent and discriminating ble, or, in fact, any criticism. If he does audience of all the United States.

I do not say this because I am a Call-and tells his friends to avoid it, but he fornian by birth, but because I know does not hiss or otherwise criticise from that the audience in a San Francisco his seat a bad performance. This is why indorsements. As the popular song says theatre is made up, on the whole, of the his criticism is not conclusive. He is "Taey're all right when you know 'en

cold and critical body of theatre-goers, lightful. The men are so chivalrous supply, and when I say that it means but we never played to more appreci-that I am contrasting the verdict of a ative audiences than our Boston audi-San Francisco audience with the verdict ences. They understood and enjoyed, of a New York audience, and I am aware and conveyed to us their understanding and if they are fortunate enough that I challenge criticism on the ground and enjoyment at just the right time that the New York audience is assumed and in just the right way. Our Boston

engagement was one of our pleasantest.
When we reached the Middle West we I, perhaps it is; but it is also too found a certain caution in pronouncing love with all natured to be critical. Every audiupon our merits for the first two or South that tor in New York seems to think that the price of his ticket is merely a contribu-

Eastern production, prejudiced then against us a bit; but once having a

but you've got to know 'em first. if they think the woman who is play

### A CHAIR WITH A HISTORY.

THE BLOSSOM ONLY a little shrivelled seed-It might be flower or grass or

Only a box of earth on the edge Of a narrow, dusty, window ledge: Only a few scant Summer show-

Only a few clear, shining hours-

That was all. Yet God could make Out of these, for a sick child's

sake. A blossom wonder as fair and aweet As ever broke at an angel's feet.

Only a life of barren pain, Wet with sorrowful tears of rain;

Warmed sometimes by a wandering gleam Of joy that seemed but a happy

A life as common and brown As the box of earth in the win-

Yet it bore at last the precious Of a perfect soul in a narrow

Pure as the snowy leaves that Over the flower's heart of gold.

-Henry Van Dyke.

- IIIS is the time for people who oppositely interpolated and interpolated have long recollections. It is recalled by a Pennsylvania

man that Prince Albert once boxed the ears of the Prince of Wales while the royal family, constating of the Oueen. he Prince Consort, "Vicky" and the Prince of Wales, were out driving It was unfortunate for this Pennsylania man that the Prince of Wales should have been unruly at that time. Otherwise the Queen might have sat in a chair which is now in John J. Bingley's home in Hanover, Pa.

The chair is said by Mr. Bingley

have been made before Columbus ound land on this side. The village abinet-maker of Wakefield built the hair. It was on exhibition in Manhester when the Queen visited that city in 1851. The owner of the chair and troubled himself to have the chair placed where Her Majesty could occup it. All was ready when the Prince of Wales cut a caper which caused the Prince Consort to forget his position and he "landed"-to use a sporting colnage-on the ear or ears of the collage—on the ear or ears of the Prince of Wales. This confusion charged the royal programme.

The chair was brought to this country in 1856. It remained in Richmond during the civil war, it is in good condition, and this is the time for Mr. Bingley to call attention to it. This confusion

Largest Fortress. The most extensive fortress in the orld is Fortress Monroe, in Virginia. shell



Japanese Guitar.

The samisen is the most popular in strument in Japan. It is a guitar, the body being eight inches square and th length of the handle thirty-nine s played with a plectrum of toriois

# YOUR LETTER IS PRINTED HERE

To the Editor of The Evening World: When Wen. J. Bryan gets through all day? EAST HITH STREET. with his present newspaper experiment, Another "Silent Husband."

I would like to call your attention to get in until 7 o'clock. What do you think of such a man? HEARTBROKEN.

To the Editor of the Evening World:

can sit down that have been standing

reind. Bill knows human nature complains of a "silent husband." I have nothing conquer your spirit. The World the same trouble right in my own home. pretty well, and, being a good talker, the same trouble right in my own home. is in a position to give the first glimps. P. D. Q.

Some Questions for the Companies.

To the Editor of The Evening World;

Everything is clean and cheerful waiting for 1%m, but he case nothing to say; takes the papers and recads and spends the papers and recads and spends the come, and if we all knew and practised it this world would be Elysian.

BEATRICE VAUGHAN.

of the will or beyond the will? which will be soon, I will give him \$220 To the Editor of The Evening World:

Yourself and feel the strength that

I can sympathize with the wife who

To the Editor of The Evening World:

I can sympathize with the wife who

To Promote Inventions.

our street-car system. Why do the ductors allow so many children to ductors allow so ductor

DEALER FOR ! THE "NEW Modified Cruelty.

They met again at an evening party. The young woman, however, swept the shop windows already." past him with superb unconsciousness! "Yes, and you'll see that will work of his presence.

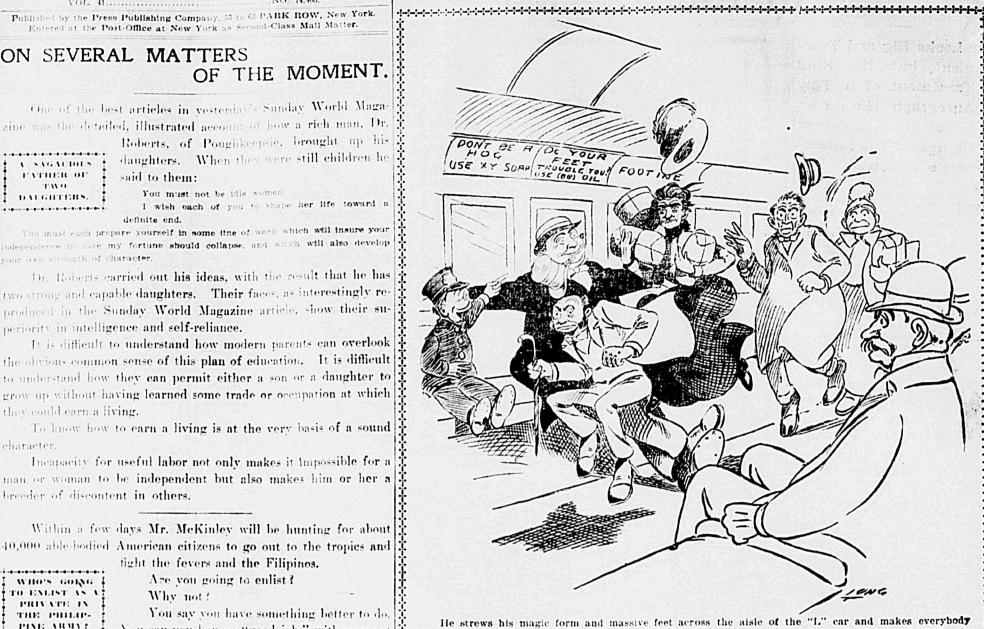
"Mes Lickladder," he said, encounter- dickens of a spell of cold weather." ing her purposely a few moments later,

IS HE THE !

TORACE THE HOG.

By FERDINAND G. LONG.

If you see a new specimen of the Human Porker write to The Evening World about it.



that passes him do a steeplechase act. If he does this in his Harlem flat other members of his family must roost on the mantelpieces or fire-escapes

What is coming over us in these twentieth century days? Can t be that we no longer love to kill our fellow-men? Can it be that This bore is a man. Women know th we no longer hanker after brass buttons and gold lace? Can it be alue of the demi-mot, the half word, he suggestion which is far more fas that destruction no longer attracts us so much as construction. inating than any bald old fact. This is the ponderous bore.

No skimming over the crest of the ave for this gentleman. Yet, if the country were in danger, there wouldn't be any He must needs dive deep and bring verything to the surface that he can Is there any trouble in getting men to go

Strange to say, he never gets hold of pearl of thought or a gem of wit. He deals in logic and wearisome dealls and explanations.

ment? Is there any difficulty about getting Then there is that most exasperating men for any sort of work, however perilous, so ore, the one who is always interruptlong as it is connected with civilization, with ing you and who never follows you understandingly to the end of your story. But his face will light up and his eyes will beam with delight over some word Why then the serious doubt whether Mr. which has no bearing upon the point of McKinley can get together all the men he wants to send—not to ead-to the Philippines? What makes the common man shake his

You have just said that you have.

the finish of your yarn.

Sometimes he interrupts you frequent the least to do with the experience you

This bore, and the ponderous bore

"Why, have you ever been in Toronto?" period. "Lovely place in Winter, isn't it? Ever constantly hurled at you will take the go out in an ice-boat up there? I've sunshine out of your life and make of

You can see that he is anxious for you to hurry up and cease talking so he

This bore is a terror.

will make you wonder why you weren't just as you have got fairly started, called from earth during the teething Dates, facts, details and explanations

And he is there now, in spirit, and re-"nay, nay, an begin on you about Toronto.

under the strain. y during the progress of a story, always frivolous people, and enjoy the stimuelzing upon a word or remark having lating influence of bright minds.

This bore, and the ponderous bore.

Remember, "a love of and desire for details show lack of tact, finesse, observation and flexibility, qualities which the conversation.

This bore, and the ponderous bore.

your remarks. Perhaps it is a name. and the accurate bore will take all the The moment you utter that name good- brightness out of you inside of a very let's be bored. JANE GORDON.

## HARRIET HUBBARD AYER ANSWERS THE QUESTIONS OF PERPLEXED LOVERS.

I am a young lady of sixteen and very



turn my affection, as he thinks I am girl he loves. Please advise me too young. I am so heartbroken about this that I am losing my good looks, the only thing I hope to win his love with.

MAMIE O.

WORRIED GIAL.

OU are entirely right in your ideas. If the man really loves at d respects you he will ask you to AM sorry I cannot feel much sympathy for you. You are nothing but

child and will smile at your sentimental episode of sixteen when you are I should advise you to stop thinking of the young man and to take care of your health and also your looks, which are

very important to women, young and Not Jenious, but Ill-Humored.

Dear Mrs. Ayer

I am keeping company with a young man four years. Is it proper for me to have other young men call on me? He is not jealous, but he is always in bad humor whenever anybody is there I love him, and he loves me. CARMEN.

that you are engaged to marry the young man, I think you should conine your exclusive attentions to him so ar as the other sex is concerned. On e other hand, if you are receiving ceneral attention, as a girl may dewith perfect propriety who is not promed to any one man, the young gen tleman has no right to consider him-

A Self-Respecting Girl. Dear Mrs. Ayer:

either talks of marrying or asks will I Point as a cadet? light gray silk. The vest is of rose give him a kiss, I told him if he thinks anything of me he would not want a kiss. I love him. He went out one Sun- get its name?

you a poor dulled, benumbed creature, too wearled and depressed to say much

Don't try to be too polite and bear

Flee for your lives to bright, sunny, Keep cheerful.

# much in love with a gentleman three day evening with me and I had a pleas-years older than I am. He does not re- ant time. He says that I am the only

be his wife.

A DAINTY WAIST

F you mean by "keeping company"

I am acquainted with a gentleman, He works in a store. When I go in there he

not take liberties with you.

marry him. Time enough to vouchsal

Stand your ground. He will respect

you all the more when he finds he can-

a kiss when you have promised to

QUERIES AND ANSWERS

Yes.

Is Kate Claxton still alive? L. J. SCHNEIDER Greek Word Menning "All."

What is the definition of the word "Pan" when applied to "Pan-Amer-

Was "The Old Homestead" ever played it the Fourteenth Street Theatre? OWEN LEWIS, Monticello, N. Y. Autonius Stradivarius of Cremons

Made It in the Year 17-. I have a violin which reads on a printed paper inside of the body, "Antonius Stradivarius Cremoneniis Faciehat Anno 17-" Can you tell me what

the words mean? Apply to Your Local Congressman How could I be appointed to West

Samed for Ceell Rhodes. How did Rhodesta, in South Africa,

### **better** May

The material of this waist is tucked

color. Narrow velvet ribbon forms the

control of the District-Attorney's office by one or both of the political machines. The people's turn must surely come. And Philbin looks strongly like the new dealer for the looks strongly like the new dealer for the ""new deal."

\*\*The work of the political machines. The people's turn must surely come. And Philbin looks strongly like the new dealer for the looks strongly like the new dealer for the ""he shall endeaver to convince one who signs herself "Daughter," and asks if women should smoke, that her diady is right and he is not old-fashioned and the shop windows already."

\*\*The new Spring shirt walsts are in an object is a proposition of thanks to our soldlers, the errors and makes a person become stupid, has a very unpleasant odor, is the shop windows already."

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\*\*In reply to Arthur Payne Belsione's and smokes as a lady. In my estimation she smokes as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows as a lady. In my estimation she shop windows are also the arm window as a solution of thanks to dear the direct cause of yellow jaundice, creating the direct cause of yellow jaundi DEALC' I looks strongly like the new dealer for the women should smoke, that her daddy own printing establishment, would it not

veteran gets no reward for the great is absolutely indispensable. A luxury is service he has rendered his country, something that will merely afford pleaservice no his discharge papers there is what I mean, I might say that: Water